IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE PATENT APPLICATION

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir;

Responsive to the Office action of May 12, 2006, applicant amends the above identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.